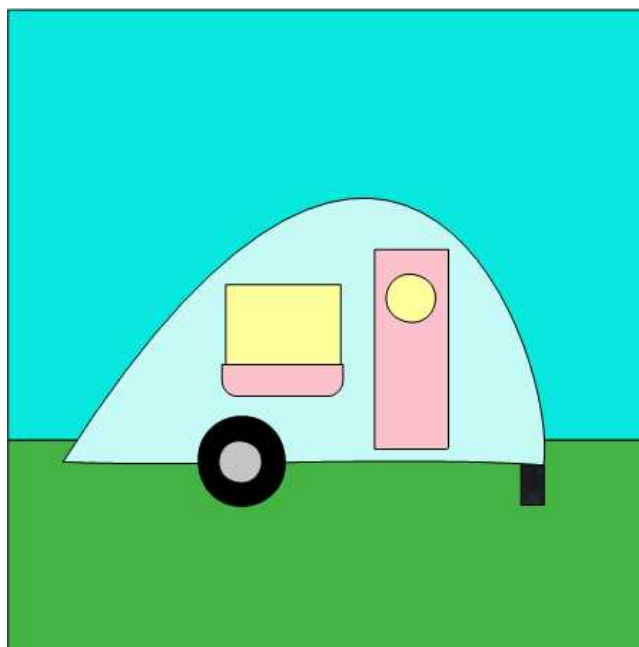




# JANDA Bend Quilts

## Quilt Retreat Camper



Finished size 12" Square, Unfinished size 12 ½" square

### Overview

This block was designed for quilters who like to camp. It was inspired by the RV Quilter Group on Facebook. We meet for quilt retreats at RV camping sites in the United States. I made my background to resemble the RV Quilters' Retreat, but feel free to add your touch to the camper's location- in the mountains, by the lake, near a favorite camp site.

### Requirements

**Tools:** Sewing machine, rotary cutter, cutting mat, scissors, pencil, iron, fusible for applique, and non-stick applique sheet (optional)

**Pattern Notes:** Use a ¼" seam allowance, sewing right sides together for the block background and press as indicated. The pattern uses raw edge applique.

**Safety Note:** Care needs to be used when cutting with a rotary cutter. Blades are sharp. Only cut fabric with rulers that are designed to be used with rotary cutters.








## Overall Plan

The background square is sewn from two rectangles. Then the camper is applied to the pieced block, and the background square is trimmed to 12 ½”.

## Cutting the Fabrics

### Cut the Fabrics As Indicated Below

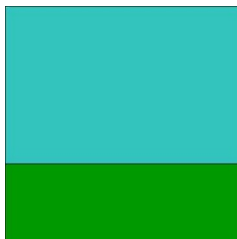
1. Cut the rectangles for the background square. (Note: The completed background square will be trimmed to a 12 ½” square later.)
2. Using the manufacturers’ instructions, iron applique fusible to the wrong side of the applique fabrics before cutting the shapes. The templates for the shapes are on pages 4 and 5.

	<b>Background Square</b>	
	<b>Sky /Background Fabric: Turquoise</b>	<b>One Fat Quarter</b> Cut (1) 13” x 8 ¾” rectangle.
	<b>Grass /Ground Fabric: Green</b>	<b>One Fat Quarter</b> Cut (1) 13” x 4 ¾” rectangle.
	<b>Applique Shapes</b>	<b>Fabric Scraps</b>
	<b>Lt. Turquoise</b>	<b>Shape A: Camper</b>
	<b>Pink</b>	<b>Shape B: Door</b> <b>Shape E Window Box</b>
	<b>Yellow</b>	<b>Shape C: Door Window</b> <b>Shape D: Camper Window</b>
	<b>Black</b>	<b>Shape F: Wheel</b> <b>Shape H: Camper Stand</b>
	<b>Gray</b>	<b>Shape G: Inner Wheel</b>

## Assembly

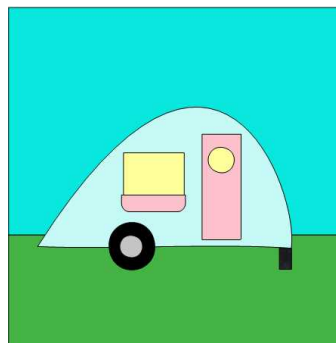
### Sew the Background Square

1. Sew the 13" x 8  $\frac{3}{4}$ " sky/background rectangle to the 13" x 4  $\frac{3}{4}$ " grass/ground rectangle to form a 13" square. Press toward the grass/ground. Note that the square will be trimmed to a 12  $\frac{1}{2}$ " after the applique is added.



2. Using the manufacturer's recommendations and the photo below as a guide, fuse the applique pieces to the background square. The following order is recommended:

- Shape A: Camper
- Shape B: Door
- Shape C: Door Window
- Shape D: Camper Window
- Shape E: Window Box
- Shape F: Outer Wheel
- Shape G: Inner Wheel
- Shape H: Camper Stand



3. Sew around the edges of the applique shapes using a decorative or straight stitch. Trim the block to 12  $\frac{1}{2}$ " square. Your block is complete!
4. Post your completed block on FB @PartnersinDesign or on Instagram at #DestinationQAL



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# Camper Applique Templates

Key Block (29/100 actual size)

